# **BSCC-PPIC Multi-County Study Update**

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# **BSCC-PPIC Multi-County Study (MCS)**





### Engagement:

- California State Association of Counties
- County Administrative Officers Association of California
- California State Sheriff's Association
- Chief Probation Officers of California
- CDCR and DOJ

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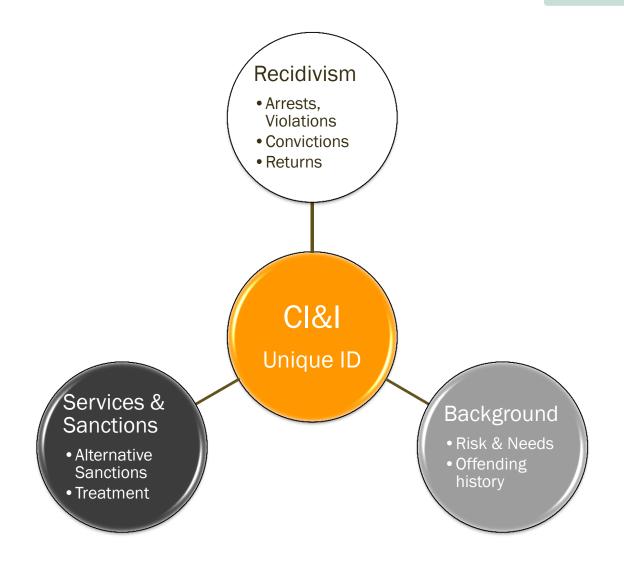




# MCS goals

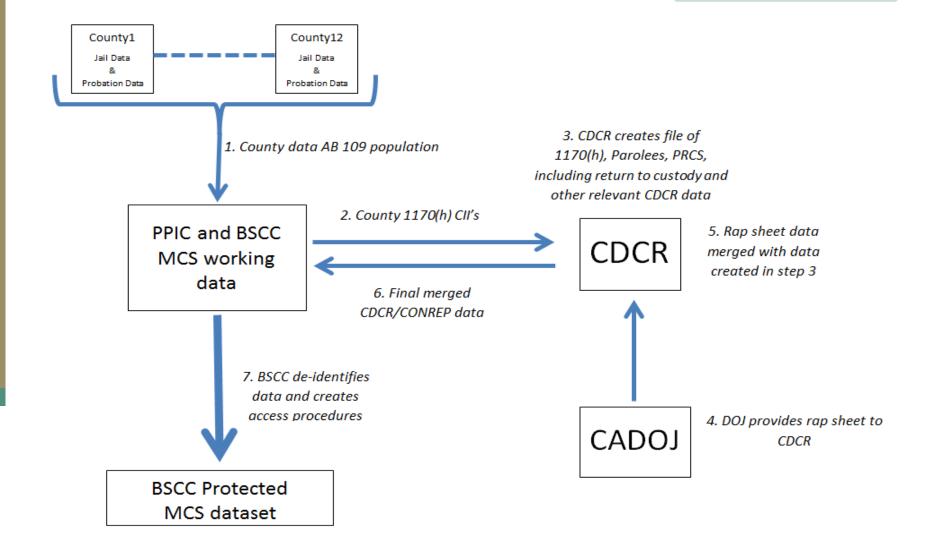
- Compile recidivism statistics for the full realignment population and range of recidivism measures
- Analyze relative effectiveness of different services, programming, sanctioning and other recidivismreduction strategies
- Assist counties with improvements in data collection and the use of data for continuous selfevaluation

# What types of data are needed?





# Data providers and the collection process



# **Key Project Phases**







# What questions could be answered with such data?

- Are recidivism rates (however best defined) going up or down?
- Do the services we refer people to decrease their recidivism?
- Is flash incarceration leading to behavior change?
- Do offenders given split sentences do better, worse, or the same as offenders given straight sentences?
- Do offenders placed on electronic monitoring do better, worse, or the same as offenders given straight or split sentences?
- Do we have the right set of service and program options in place?
- Are their promising evidence based practices being used elsewhere that could benefit our county?



## **Next Steps**

- Implementing the "Expanding the Scope" Phase
- Awaiting CDCR to complete the link between county data and state recidivism outcomes
- Interim reports on jail populations dynamics, probation populations dynamics, post-recidivism recidivism reports

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